



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Arthur J. Blume, et al

Group Art Unit: 1639

Serial No.: 09/852,445

Examiner: Wessendorf

Filed: 05/09/2001

For: METHODS OF IDENTIFYING THE ACTIVITY OF GENE PRODUCTS

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))

Mail Stop _____
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for 1 month.
2. The communication in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested
☒ is filed herewith.
☐ has been filed on _____.

3. ☒ Applicant(s) is/are entitled to Small Entity Status.
☒ Statement has already been filed

- | 4. | | <u>Total Months
Requested</u> | <u>Fee for Other
than Small Entity</u> | <u>Fee for
Small Entity</u> |
|----|-------------------------------------|--|--|---------------------------------|
| a. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | one month | \$110.00 | \$55.00 |
| b. | <input type="checkbox"/> | two months | \$410.00 | \$205.00 |
| c. | <input type="checkbox"/> | three months | \$930.00 | \$465.00 |
| d. | <input type="checkbox"/> | four months | \$1,450.00 | \$725.00 |
| e. | <input type="checkbox"/> | five months | \$1,970.00 | \$985.00 |
| f. | <input type="checkbox"/> | An extension for _____ months has already been secured for filing the above-identified communication and the fee paid therefor of \$_____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. The fee for this extension (\$_____), minus the fee previously paid (\$_____) equals \$_____ (total fee due). | | |

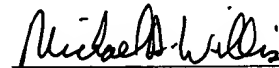
5. ☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ to cover the extension fee is attached.

6. ☒ Charge fee to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. 2598-4004US1. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.
7. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by this paper, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4500. Order No. 2598-4004US1. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.

Respectfully submitted,
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Dated: May 29, 2003

By:



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